EDUCATION SECRETARIAT

Sanctions the opening of a Government Girls' High School in Basavangudi, Bangalore City, with effect from the school year 1946-47.

READ—

Letters dated 22nd May 1944, 29th May 1945 and 25th September 1945, from *Dharmaprakasa* Mr. B. M. Srinivasaiah of the Mysore Chemical and Soap Works, Bombay, offering a donation of Rs. 50,000 towards the construction of a building for a Girls' High School in Basavangudi (near Sri Anjaneya Swami Temple), Bangalore City, with a request that the school be named after his parents.

2. Correspondence ending with letter No. B2 2007-81 of 1945-46, dated 11th March 1946, from the Director of Public Instruction regarding the opening of a Girls' High School at Basavangudi, Bangalore City.

ORDER NO. E. 7525-8—EDN. 199-43-15, DATED BANGALORE, THE 1ST JUNE 1946.

The Director of Public Instruction, who was consulted as to the need for a Government Girls' High School in Basavangudi, states that the enrolment in the Vani Vilas Institute and the Mahila Seva Samaj High Schools is in excess of the maximum number prescribed by the rules for the present number of sections and that at least a hundred girls can be withdrawn from these schools and admitted into the High School proposed to be opened at Basavangudi, besides a fairly large number of girls attending the Acharya Patasala. He, therefore, recommends that a High School for girls be opened in Basavangudi with all the three classes from the school year 1946-47 involving an expenditure of Rs. 8,650 per annum recurring and Rs. 6,000 non-recurring, as detailed in the statement appended. It is also stated that the donor Mr. B. M. Srinivasaiah is agreeable to provide suitable temporary accommodation in the locality for starting the Girls' High School in June 1946.

In the circumstances, the recommendation of the Director of Public Instruction is sanctioned. Necessary provision will be made in the budgets of the next and subsequent years.

The Director is requested to expedite the submission of the plan and estimate for the building to be constructed for the High School.

N. S. HIRANNAYYA, *Edn. Secy.*

ANNEXURE.

Statement showing the recurring and non-recurring expenditure in respect of the Government Girls' High School in Basavangudi, Bangalore City.

ALL THE THREE HIGH SCHOOL CLASSES FROM 1946-47 ONWARDS.

Recurring:—	Rs. per mensem.
Head Mistress	200
Four Assistants on Rs. 35-3-65-5-100 ...	281 7/9
One Science Teacher on Rs. 35-3-65-5-100...	70 4/9
Kannada Pandit on Rs. 30-3-45-5/2-50 ...	44 2/3
Clerk	30
Three peons on Rs. 11-½-years-15 ...	41 1/5
One Conductress on Rs. 11-½-years-15 ...	13 11/15
Allowance for Urdu Munshi at Rs. 15 per mensem for 10 months	15
Allowance for Sanskrit Pandit at Rs. 15 per mensem for 10 months	14
Contingent Grant	5
Science Contingent Grant	5
Scavenging allowance	4
Or Rs. 8,709 13/15 per annum less part time allowance of Rs. 60 for two months *i.e.*, Rs. 8,649 13/15 per annum.	725 37/45 per mensem,

Non-recurring:—	Rs.
Articles of furniture ...	2,000
Science apparatus ...	2,000
Library	1,500
Maps and Charts ...	500
Total .	6,000

FINANCIAL SECRETARIAT

Procedure in the method of presentation of Audit and Appropriation Report.

READ—

Government Order No. Fl. 266-306—G. F. 153-40-2, dated the 15th July 1941, directing that in addition to the Audit and Appropriation Report which is to be forwarded by the Comptroller for being placed before the Public Accounts Committee, an Audit Report may be submitted to Government containing a collective review of the results of audit.

2. Government Order No. Fl. 5512-15—G. F. 78-41-5, dated 28th February 1942, directing, among other things, that a half-yearly report should be forwarded to Government showing the state of work of the Central Audit Office.

3. Letter No. Fl. 2378—G. F. 149-44-2, dated 13th December 1944, to the Comptroller issuing further instructions in the matter of presenting the Audit and Appropriation Report to the Public Accounts Committee.

4. Letter No. 260—B. II, dated the 22nd November 1944, from the Comptroller to Government suggesting, for reasons stated therein, that the Audit Report to the Executive Government may be discontinued.

5. U. O. No. 3771—Es., dated 4th June 1945, of the Comptroller on the same to Government.

ORDER NO. FL. 8840-8900—G. F. 149-44-4, DATED BANGALORE, THE 15TH JUNE 1946.

The Comptroller at present is submitting two reports to Government, *viz.*, (1) Audit Report and Appropriation Accounts for being placed before the Public Accounts Committee of the Legislative Council, and (2) Audit Report to the Executive Government containing a collective review of the results of audit. It is reported that the existing form of Audit Report to the Executive Government is too bulky and does not appear to serve any useful purpose, especially as every individual irregularity which is considered to be of sufficient importance is reported to Government by the Comptroller and orders are passed on each such individual case.

2. The following items are being included at present in the report to the Executive Government :—

(*a*) Inspection by Comptroller, Auditors of Railway and Electrical Departments and the Financial Assistant to the Education Department.

(*b*) Individual cases of financial irregularities.

(*c*) Special features relating to work of the Audit Department.

(*d*) Analysis of objections showing list of inspection reports pending for over a year, loss on account of loans, statement showing by works expenditure in excess and without estimates, etc.

3. In addition to these two reports, the Comptroller is also submitting the following reports :—

(i) Half-yearly report of the state of work in the Comptroller's Office.

(ii) Annual reports of the state work in the Railway and Electrical Audit Offices.

(iii) Administration report showing the salient features of working of the entire department submitted each half-yearly.

4. After a careful consideration of the proposals, Government agree with the opinion of the Comptroller that the Audit Report to the Executive Government in its present form be abolished and direct that in lieu of the present report and the other half-yearly and yearly reports and the administration report that are now being submitted as detailed above, the Comptroller should submit to Government not later than the 15th of February and the 15th August a report for the previous half-year, incorporating the following :—

(*a*) State of work in the central audit and subordinate audit offices—Electrical, Railways, Jog, Food Supplies and Education Departments and salient features of the administration of the departments.

The original reports of the officers concerned should also be sent up to Government with the review of the Comptroller, so that special attention may be paid to the work that is being done in these offices.

(*b*) Special features of local audit and other audit activities.

(*c*) Brief paras relating to Industrial Concerns, Higher Audit and Audit of Special schemes, etc.

5. Regarding individual cases of financial irregularities, as each individual case of sufficient consequence would have been reported to Government, it would be enough if an enclosure is included in the report giving a list of such cases and the action taken thereon.

6. The above relate only to the working of the department during the half years. In order to enable Government to have an idea of the working of the department during the year as a whole, an annual report would still be necessary. As there would, however, be no point in covering the same ground as has been set forth in the half-yearly reports, Government consider that it would be enough if the annual report is merely a brief summary of the two half-yearly reports which would have been sent in advance to Government. A skeleton form in which this report is to be submitted will separately be prescribed.

The Comptroller is also requested to send half-yearly a separate brief report in which the salient features of current revenue and expenditure should be reviewed and Revenue position summarised. Such observation as may be thought necessary should also be made in respect of any Capital or Major Head of account or on the productivity or otherwise of the outlay as may be deemed necessary.

The existing procedure regarding the preparation and submission of Audit Report and Appropriation Accounts to the Public Accounts Committee will continue.

B. S. RAGHAVENDRA RAO, *Finl. Secy.*

Sanctions the incorporation of a definition of the term "Premium" in the Rules of the Official and Public Branches.

READ—

Letter No. A. V. G. 877, dated the 8th June 1946, from the Secretary, Mysore Government Life Insurance Department, forwarding a resolution of the Insurance Committee, regarding the incorporation of a definition of the term "Premium" in the rules of the Official and Public Branches under Section (3) since the same has not been defined and requesting approval of Government to the same and also for grouping the definitions under Rule (3) of the Official Branch as in the Public Branch.

ORDER No. FL. 8931-2—G. F. 17-45-17, DATED BANGALORE, THE 17TH JUNE 1946.

Sanctioned.

The Secretary, Insurance Department, is requested to incorporate the same in the Kannada rules also.

B. S. RAGHAVENDRA RAO, *Finl. Secy.*

RAILWAY SECRETARIAT

Nominates Mr. F. C. Devaraj Urs as an extra member on the Mysore State Railway Local Advisory Committee.

READ—

Government Order No. R. S. 234-83—Ry. F. 224-G. 43-44, dated 20th July 1943, nominating the members to serve on the Mysore State Railway Local Advisory Committee for a period of two years from 1st July 1943.

Government Order No. R. S. 2696-746—Ry. F. 224—G. 45-46, dated 25th April 1946, reconstituting the Mysore State Railway Local Advisory Committee with certain members.

ORDER No. R. S. 3383-3433—RY. F. 224—G. 45-46, DATED BANGALORE, THE 14TH JUNE 1946.

Government are pleased to nominate Mr. F. C. Devaraj Urs, Member, Representative Assembly, as an extra member to serve on the Mysore State Railway Local Advisory Committee.

K. D. JOSHI, *Railway Secy.*

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